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In re Application of :
De Greef et al. :
Application No. 10/524,968 : DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: February 17, 2005 :
Attorney Docket No. NL02 0769 US :

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed October 27, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely and properly reply to the final Office action mailed December 17, 2007. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on March 18, 2008. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed September 19, 2008.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fee of \$810.00 and the submission required by 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$1,620.00; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Joan Olszewski at (571) 272-7751.

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 2629 for processing of the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

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